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Berne, February 1.

THE Sovereign Council of this State having appointed Commiſſioners to examine the Grievances complained of by the Deputies of Neufchatel, frequent Conferences are held between them. The ſaid Deputies of Neufchatel have cauſed their Treaty of Comburgherſhip with this Canton to be printed and diſtributed amongſt the Members of this Republick. Yeſterday the Sovereign Council was aſſembled upon the Accident which happened lately between M. de Watteville and M. Muller, wherein the latter was killed. The former was ſummoned twice publickly at the great Stairs of the Town-houſe, by an Officer of the State, to appear and to bring in his Defence againſt the Proceſs formed againſt him by the Attorney General of this Canton for the Loſs of a Subject. The ſame Ceremony will be obſerved once more within three Weeks, after which Sentence of Death will be pronounced againſt him for Contumacy.

Stockholm, Jan. 6. O.S. On Friday the 5th of December an Expreſs arrived here from the Hereditary Prince of Heſſe, with Letters for the Princeſs Royal his Conſort, giving her an Account that the King her Brother was killed the Sunday Night before. Her Royal Highneſs immediately called together ſuch of the Senators as were in Town, and a Reſolution paſſed to take into Cuſtody Count Vandernath, which was done. At the ſame Time his Houſe was ſecured, as was alſo that of Baron Goertz, and their Papers ſealed up. That Evening Secretary Ecklehof, Counſellour Haagen, and M. Royer, Maſter of the Mint, were ſeized, and the Mint ſecured by Guards. An Officer was alſo diſpatched to Aland, to ſeize Secretary Stambke and all his Papers. On the 6th the Senate aſſembled, and reſolved to proclaim her Royal Highneſs Queen: The ſame Evening the Senate in a Body, and all the great Officers of the Crown, were admitted to make their Compliments to her Majeſty, and had the Honour to kiſs her Hand. On the 7th, being Sunday, the Death of the King, and the Acceſſion of the Queen to the Crown, was declared in all the Churches. Before that Declaration a ſecond Expreſs from the Prince of Heſſe brought an Account, that all the Army had proclaimed the Princeſs Queen, and that Baron Goertz being arrived near Stromſtat, had been ſeized by Collonel Baumgarten. On the 8th M. Rumpff, Reſident of the States General, whom the late King had for ſome Time refuſed to admit to his Court or Preſence in that Character, went to Count Hoorn, and deſired him to procure him an Audience of the Queen. The Count aſſured him, that having reſumed the Management of Foreign Affairs, he would endeavour with all poſſible Zeal to re-eſtabliſh good Intelligence between her Majeſty and their High Mightineſſes, and to remove all Obſtacles, which had interrupted the Commerce of the Subjects of both Nations. And a few Hours after, the ſaid Reſident received a Meſſage from the Queen, ſignifying, that underſtanding he deſired an Audience of her, to make his Compliments of Condoleance and Congratulation, her Majeſty had reſolved to grant it him as ſoon as her Apartments were hung with Mourning, aſſuring him at the ſame Time of her firm Reſolution to live in Harmony and ſtrict Union with the States General. On the 15th her Majeſty's Letters of Summons to the States of the Kingdom were publiſhed, appointing a General Aſſembly to be held on the 20th of January. The Coronation is to be at Upſal the 20th of February, O. S. Her Majeſty has made Seven new Senators, viz. the Generals Taube, Ducker, Sparre, de la Gardie, Oernſtedt, the Barons Bonde and Banier. The Prince of Heſſe is now ſtiled his Royal Highneſs. In the Publick Prayers in all the Churches the following Terms are now uſed; *For her Majeſty the Queen, for her Conſort his Royal Highneſs the Hereditary Prince of Heſſe, and for all the Royal Family.* On the 21ſt of December Major General Bennet arrived here, having been ſent by the Generals of the Army to make the